

## ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

FRIDAY EVENING, OCT. 26, 1906.

## Local Matters.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Rises tomorrow at 6:21 a. m. and sets at 5:07 p. m. High water at 2 a. m. and 3:34 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and warmer tonight. Saturday increasing cloudiness, probably rain in afternoon or at night; light variable winds, becoming fresh southerly.

## Trial of Matthews and Mulhall.

The second day's trial of Capt. Matthews and Lieut. Mulhall, of the Fourth precinct, Washington, before the police trial board charged with neglect of duty and of preventing railroad men from rescuing Engineer Hugh S. Murphy from his overturned engine, was continued yesterday.

Witnesses testified that the engine cab could have been lifted with the "jack" and Murphy's life saved if the police had not interfered.

T. H. Cox, a machinist, said that had it not been for the interference of Capt. Matthews he would have been able to shut off the steam pouring into the face of the prostrate engineer, but that when he attempted to approach the locomotive the captain pushed him back.

V. M. Acors, a yard brakeman, testified that Conductor T. S. Ryan instructed him to help rescue Murphy, and that he was met by the policemen and prevented from going near the engine. Acors said that with him was Conductor Ryan, but the police also refused to allow him to approach the wreck.

Assistant Yard Master Frank G. Stuart, of the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad, said that as soon as he heard of the accident he hurried to Sixth street and Maryland avenue and was pushed back by Captain Matthews. Stuart believed that the "jacks," with which the railroad men were working, could have lifted the cab off Murphy's legs, and said that one minute after the chain used on the wreck train was adjusted the engine was raised sufficiently to release the engineer.

T. S. Ryan, a fireman and extra conductor on the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad, testified that he was ordered to the scene and was pushed back by a policeman.

Conductor John S. Hutchins testified that Lieut. Mulhall continually waved his arms in the air and shouted: "Get back; they're giving us a-1!" Witness said he was repeatedly driven away from the wrecked engine, and, with the aid of a drawing and a toy engine, described the manner in which Murphy was pinned beneath the locomotive.

"I asked Murphy if the water was hitting him," said the witness, "and Murphy replied: 'My God, I'm burning up.'"

Z. T. May testified that, in his opinion, the closing of the "big valve," which Cox testified he attempted to reach and was prevented from so doing by Capt. Matthews, would have shut off the steam and scalding water. The hearing was continued to this morning.

## Circuit Court for the County.

[Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.]

The jury yesterday in the case of Arthur G. Williams against the Washington, Arlington and Falls Church Railway Company, which was a suit for \$1,000 damages for alleged forcible ejection from a car, returned a verdict for the defendant company.

After being surrendered by the District of Columbia officials to the Virginia authorities on a requisition from the governor Joseph Thomas, colored, alias John Wright, was brought before Judge Nicol yesterday evening and arraigned on the charges of murder, criminal assault, attempted criminal assault, and assault with intent to kill. In each case he entered a plea of not guilty. He will be placed on trial next Wednesday morning. It is understood that the prisoner will be tried first on the charge of criminally attacking Miss Mabel Bailey near Luna Park several weeks ago. When Thomas was arraigned, Commonwealth Attorney Mackey informed the court that the prisoner was without counsel, and Judge Nicol assigned Attorneys James E. Clements and Basil Boteler to conduct the defense.

Many people were at the courthouse when Thomas was taken to the jail there, and a big crowd gathered about the prison to get a look at the negro. The prisoner begged Sheriff Palmer and Jailor Collins to protect him from violence, and seemed much relieved when once safely behind the bars of a cell.

Today the case of Howard Smoot vs. the W. A. & F. Ry. Co., a suit for \$20,000 damages, went over till the third day of the next term.

Arguments are being heard today on the petition of J. M. Pettit for a license to sell liquor near Brick Haven, in Jefferson district. A decision had not been reached when this report closed.

## A Timely Suggestion.

Complaint has been made for many years of the unsightly condition of the Strand from King to Prince street. Whenever there is a high tide the roadway is converted into a quagmire, and rainy weather causes similar conditions. It has been suggested that now that the city is preparing to pave with cobblestones Prince street from Union to the river that some concerted plan should be formulated between the city authorities and the property-owners looking toward further improvements on the Strand.

Many cobblestones have already been taken from streets where vitrified brick have been used in paving which could be utilized on the Strand. The work need not necessarily stop at Prince street, but it could be extended farther south. Of course it would be necessary, should the city expend money toward improving this neglected part of the city, to obtain a guaranty from the property-owners that the Strand should be kept open as a thoroughfare.

## Violations of the Cow Law.

A strange cow, for whose actions no one seems to be responsible, has been prowling about the northeastern section of the city recently invading yards and in some instances causing alarm, especially among young children. The animal yesterday evening entered a yard for the purpose of eating grass, and when an attempt was made to drive it from the enclosure the cow ran at a little boy, raised the child on its horns and tossed him as high as the fence. Fortunately the horns had caught in the child's clothing and he escaped serious injury.

The three-masted schooner Isiah K. Sietson, which had been loaded with railroad ties at the B. & O., transferred yesterday for Boston.

## Contributions.

The following is a list of those contributing to the aid of the family of the late Chas. T. Smith, who was murdered in this city on Saturday night last:

L. Ruben \$10, J. M. Hill \$10, Zora Hill \$5, J. T. Sweeney \$5, A. Katz \$2, D. Bendheim & Sons \$2, Chas. Blondheim \$1, E. F. Fleming \$1, A. D. Marheim \$1, M. Rosenfeld \$2, E. F. Price \$1, Cash \$1, Weil Bros. \$2, M. Jaffa \$1, J. R. Travers \$1, F. McClearen \$2, J. R. Travers \$1, Cash \$1, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Greene \$2, Thos. Hoy, sr., \$1, N. N. \$2, C. Howard \$2, Cash \$2, Cash \$1, Cash \$1, Cash \$1, Cash \$1, H. Block \$2, Hinken & Son \$2, Cash \$1, A. Powell \$1, Cash \$2, Cash \$2, Cash \$2, Cash \$1, A. Slaymaker \$1, M. Fairfax \$5, George Wise \$1, B. Bear \$2, E. Graham \$1, S. Wollburg \$5, Cash \$1, S. W. Pitt \$1, Capt. Young \$1, Cash \$1, Cash \$5, Cash \$2, Hamilton & Co. \$2, J. A. Scouterburg \$1, Cash \$5, Cash \$1, D. Hulsh \$5, J. Schneider \$1, H. McKenney \$1, J. S. Siner \$1, H. Baader & Sons \$2, W. H. May \$1, Bethel Cemetery \$1, C. H. May \$1, Cash \$1, R. M. Graham \$2, H. Kirk, jr., \$2, John Crilly \$1, Jacob Brill \$2, W. O. Davis \$5, N. L. Lundy & Co. \$2, J. H. Altheim \$1, E. G. Smith \$2, Miller & Co. \$5, Bernheimer & Co. \$1, Cash \$2, Cash \$1, E. S. Leadbeater & Sons \$2, Cash \$5, R. Lee Field \$1, Griffin & Michelbach \$1, J. H. Harris \$1, T. McGowan \$1, W. E. Bain \$2, Wm. A. Moore, jr., \$1, W. H. Sweeney \$1, A. N. Dorson \$5, Thos. Nesbit \$1, W. White \$1, Norton Crump \$5, N. Wollburg \$5, C. E. Day \$3, E. Payne \$1, Hayes \$2, Cash \$1, Cash \$1, Cash \$5, Frank Meade \$2, Cash \$1, Cash \$1, Cash \$1, J. H. P. \$1, H. C. G. \$5, Cash \$2, Cash \$5, Cash \$5, Kaufmanns \$1, W. H. K. \$5, J. J. Corridan \$5, S. F. Burgbauer \$5, Worth Hulsh \$5, Albert Smoot \$5, W. F. Kaderly \$5, Chas. Charot \$1, James Phillips \$1, T. G. Robison \$1, Cash \$5, Cash \$2, and Amos T. Fisher \$5.

## No Change in Situation.

The Southern Railway machine shops in this city are still silent and the work of removing machinery continues.

The company made arrangements yesterday for the construction of an overhead bridge from the machine shops to the round house, but the work was stopped by the authorities until the consent of Council shall have been obtained.

Special officers are still guarding the company's property in and near this city. Last night several shots were heard in the vicinity of the new union depot. The cause could not be ascertained this morning.

Several men from McKeesport, Pa., who had been employed to work in the shops arrived in Washington yesterday. One of the number made his way to this city, but upon reaching here and ascertaining the conditions now prevailing, concluded to return to his home.

## Seek Release From Asylum.

The hearing on the application of Mrs. Caroline Corbett and her daughter, Miss Cornelia Corbett, for a writ of habeas corpus to secure their release from St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum, in the District of Columbia, was begun before Justice Gould, in Washington, yesterday. A number of witnesses, including the applicants, were examined, and the hearing was continued until today. It is asserted that Mrs. Corbett and her daughter have been illegally detained at the asylum since June 8, 1904. This is the fourth attempt of the applicants to gain their release by means of habeas corpus proceedings. Mrs. Corbett is the widow of Frank Corbett, who was at one time collector of the post at Alexandria, and was an extensive property owner in Virginia. After his death the estate became involved. The executors under the will of Mr. Corbett were required to give bond in the sum of \$75,000.

## "Joshua Simpkins"

The attraction at the Opera House Monday night will be "Joshua Simpkins." It is a strong rural comedy drama, opening with a realistic scene of rural home life, showing Skinner Tavern with Uncle Josh's Briar Farm in the distance. The play abounds in interesting situations and the climax is reached in the third act when a human being is helplessly bound to a log to be cut in twain by a mammoth buzz saw, and is only saved by the timely arrival of Uncle Josh. "Josh Simpkins" was written with a view of keeping an audience thoroughly amused, and it fully carries out the author's intention. The plot is not allowed to interfere with the comedy parts in any extent, thus producing a play that is thrillingly interesting and said to contain many laughs. The company carries a fine orchestra and a laughable burlesque band.

## Vessel Detained.

The four-masted schooner Malcolm B. Seavey, with a cargo of phosphate rock from Port Tampa, Fla., for this port, has been delayed, by accident. A message received from Charleston, S. C., states that the vessel has put in there, leaking badly, and will have to be repaired before resuming her trip. The Seavey sailed from Port Tampa October 9, and was at sea when the West Indian storm was raging over the south Atlantic.

## Car Derailed.

A car of a north bound freight train of the Washington-Southern Railway was derailed on the high embankment a few yards north of the culvert over the electric railway at Spring Park at 5:20 this morning. The accident caused a congestion of trains in the vicinity of the new union depot until the car was replaced upon the rails.

## Council Tonight.

A special meeting of the City Council will be held tonight to take action on a resolution offering a reward for the arrest of the murderer of Charles T. Smith. The Mayor, as stated yesterday, withheld his approval of the bill on legal grounds.

## Appointment Declined.

Thomas E. Rowen, the engineer on the Southern Railroad who was recently promoted by the appointment to a position as assistant, has declined the place. Mr. Rowen, who is one of the best engineers on the road, will continue to drive the engine that pulls Capt. W. W. Payne's train on alternate days. (Edinburgh Sentinel.)

## A Lucky Postmistress.

Miss Alexander, of Carr, Me., who has found Dr. King's New Life Pills to be the best remedy she ever tried for keeping the Stomach, Liver and Bowels in perfect order. You'll agree with her if you try these painless purifiers that infuse new life. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons Druggist.

## Personal.

Commander Ward Winchell, Mrs. Winchell, son and daughter, have been spending a few days with Mrs. M. C. P. yton, on north St. Asaph street, before leaving for New York, where they will make their home for the next year.

Miss Nellie L. George, who has been on a ten-day's vacation in Alexandria and Washington, returned yesterday morning, and resumed her duties in the city postoffice. (Charlottesville Progress.)

Among those whose attendance at the charity ball in Leeburg this week, were Misses Lucy Douglas and L. L. Steiner, of Tidewater.

Mr. Ashby Miller, now of Detroit, is in this city on a short visit to his old home. Judge L. C. Darley, who has been presiding during the past few weeks over the Circuit Court for Rockingham county, is home for a few days.

Mr. Kenneth, who left yesterday for a business trip to North Carolina. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Howard have gone to Atlantic City for a few days.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Seven lodgers were entertained at the station house last night.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

The weather was cool and clear last night. A light frost was visible this morning. The temperature today has been mild with a clear sky.

Mount Vernon Council, No. 1, will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock at which time nine candidates will be initiated. The work will be put on by the degree team.

As will be seen by an advertisement, elsewhere, Mr. E. W. Starnell offers for sale fifty barred Plymouth Rock pullets. His chickens are considered unusually fine stock.

Messrs. M. B. Harlow & Company have awarded to Mr. J. D. Knight a contract for improving and enlarging the store occupied by Messrs. Griffin and Michelbach, on King street, near Fairfax.

Four races out of six was the score made by the Virginia horsemen at Benning yesterday for the first day's racing of the annual meeting of the National Hunt Association. Courtland Smith's Hampton stable captured three events—two steeplechases and a flat race—while Dion Kerr, riding for his father, Dr. James Kerr, owner of the Antrim stud, at Warrenton, won a steeplechase, with Follow-On. Billy Garth, Richard Wallach, James Maddux, C. C. Smithson and Charles Harkamp all had entries, but were unable to do anything.

The matron of the Alexandria Hospital says that Estelle Huve, colored, has not been employed at that institution. The woman after her trial in the Police Court yesterday morning proceeded to the hospital and applied for a situation.

The following are among the post-mortem results pointed in Virginia: Odaville, Warren county, Lee J. Franklin, vice John R. Palmer, removed to Montross, Westmoreland county, John S. Bonebrake, vice William E. Goodridge, resigned.

The funeral of Mrs. Anna L. Kaus took place this afternoon from the residence on Queen street. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. DeJers and the interment was in Bethel cemetery.

Justice Stuart, of Mt. Vernon district, Fairfax county, committed John Payne, colored, to jail on Wednesday for stealing a gun from Mr. Charles Cooke, 1, near this city.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Columbus W. Ware and Essie Goch, of Culpeper; and Henry Norris and Katie Braxton, of Manassas.

Ducks are beginning to make their appearance in the river below this city.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimman, Market Space. feb 26/07

## A CARD OF THANKS.

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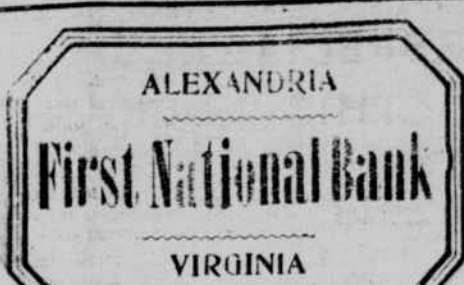
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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, on the 26th day of October, 1906.

Perley G. Nutting

vs.

Helene G. Nutting.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Helene G. Nutting, is not a resident of this State; It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.

By NIVELL S. GARRERAWAY, D. C.

Howard W. Smith, p. q. oct 26/06

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